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City of Falls Church 6th Annual Student Art Contest Adopts a Theme: Falls Church City – Past, Present, and Future!

FALLS CHURCH, VA. – The City of Falls Church Office of Communications is now accepting submissions to its 6th Annual Student Art Contest. But, this year there's a twist! All submissions must illustrate one or more elements of this year's theme: Falls Church City – Past, Present, and Future!

Students Kindergarten through Grade 12 are eligible to enter, but must attend a City of Falls Church School or reside in the City. All other entries will be disqualified. The deadline for entries is Friday, Oct. 6, 2006.

Judges will select 13 entries to feature in the City's 2007 Calendar, Annual Report, and Services Guide for distribution this December. The Mayor will present students whose work is selected with awards at a City Council meeting this fall. A special reception will be held at the Dec. 1 FIRSTfriday event at Art & Frame of Falls Church (244 W. Broad St., Falls Church) where entries will remain on display throughout December.

Submission Requirements (no more than three entries per person):

- Must illustrate one or more elements of the theme: Falls Church City – Past, Present, and Future
- Two-dimensional and three-dimensional art can be created in any medium
- All submissions must be submitted flat, not folded or rolled (unless the submission is a 3-D submission such as origami art)
- Submissions must include the student's first and last name, age, grade, school attending, name of parent or guardian, address, and phone number on the back of the artwork

Submissions Must Not:

- Be edible (e.g., Cheerios, macaroni noodles, etc.)
- Need to be stored at a certain temperature or in a special setup
- Have sharp edges or objects within the work

Please mail or deliver entries on or before Friday, Oct. 6 to: Office of Communications, Falls Church City Hall, 300 Park Ave., Falls Church, VA 22046. For more information, please call 703-248-5003 (TTY 711) or e-mail publicinfo@fallschurchva.gov.

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